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8 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
9 **SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**
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11 DAVID SINGLETARY,

12 Plaintiff,

13 vs.

14 RITALBEN, INC. et al.,

15 Defendant.
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CASE NO. 07cv2022-JM (WMC)

ORDER FOLLOWING EARLY
NEUTRAL EVALUATION
CONFERENCE, SETTING RULE 26
COMPLIANCE AND NOTICE OF
CASE MANAGEMENT
CONFERENCE

17 On November 15, 2007, the Court convened a telephonic Early Neutral Evaluation
18 Conference in the above entitled action. Appearing for Plaintiff were Mark Potter, Esq.
19 Appearing for Defendant were Darrell Palmer, Esq.

20 Settlement could not be reached in the case at this time.

21 The Court discussed compliance with Fed. R. Civ. P. 26 and based thereon, issues the
22 following orders:

- 23 1. The Rule 26(f) conference shall be completed before *December 3, 2007*;
24 2. A discovery plan shall be lodged with Magistrate Judge McCurine, Jr. on or before
25 *December 14, 2007*. Regarding each witness, the discovery plan will include the
26 name, most current address, most current phone number, and a brief description of
27 the subject matter of his/her testimony. The discovery plan will also include the
28 anticipated dates for the completion of both non-expert discovery and expert

discovery; and,

3. The date of initial disclosure pursuant to Rule 26(a)(1)(A-D) shall occur before
December 20, 2007;

4. Counsel and parties with full settlement authority are ordered to appear *on January 9, 2008, at 2:00 p.m.* in the chambers of United States Magistrate Judge William McCurine, Jr., 940 Front Street, Courtroom C, San Diego, California, 92101, for a Case Management Conference pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 16(b).
Full authority to settle means that the individual present at the settlement conference has the unfettered discretion and authority to: 1) fully explore settlement options and to agree at that time to any settlement options; 2) agree at that time to any settlement terms acceptable to the parties; 3) change the settlement position of a party; and 4) negotiate monetary awards without being restricted to a specific sum certain.

Failure of any counsel or party to comply with this Order will result in the imposition of sanctions.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATED: November 15, 2007



Hon. William McCurine, Jr.
U.S. Magistrate Judge
United States District Court

cc: Honorable Jeffrey Miller
U.S. District Court

All Counsel and Parties of Record